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Art Unit : 3617
Examiner : Bellinger, Jason R.
Applicant : Philip O. Gerard
Appln. No. : 10/689,229
Filing Date : October 20, 2003
Confirmation No. : 4066
For : WHEEL CLAD ASSEMBLY

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are a Return Postcard and a Response (12 pages) in the above-identified application.

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

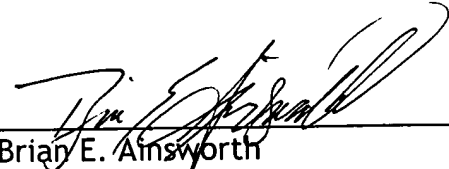
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	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total Claims	33	Minus	34	= 0	x \$25	\$0.00	X \$ 50	\$0.00
Independent Claims	14	Minus	6	= 8	x 100	\$800.00	X \$200	\$0.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims \$180						\$0.00	X \$360	\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$800.00		\$0.00

Applicant : Gregory R. Hauler
Appln. No. : 10/781,004
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1. ☐ Small entity status of this application 37 CFR §§1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted or is enclosed.
2. ☐ No additional fee is required.
3. ☒ A fee of \$800.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this response is enclosed.
4. ☐ A fee of \$___ to cover the application size fee is enclosed.
5. ☒ Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16 2463. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

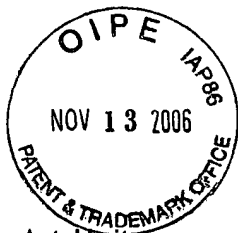
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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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